Response to Missing Requirements Under 35 USC § 371

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- (X) This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371.
- (X) Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 USC 371 dated January 11, 2007.
- (X) An Oath or Declaration signed by the inventors (35 USC 371(c)(4)) in 3 pages.
- (X) Power of attorney form and copy of assignment in 4 pages.
- (X) English translation of International Preliminary Report on Patentability

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FEE CALCULATION					
FEE TYPE		LARGE FEE	CALCULATION	TOTAL	
Late Oath/Decl.	37 CFR § 1.492(h)	1617 (\$130)		\$130	
Excess Claims	22 - 22 = 0	1615 (\$50)	0 x 50 =	\$0	
Excess Ind. Claims	1 - 3 = 0	1614 (\$200)	0 x 200 =	\$0	
Multiple Claim	37 CFR § 1.492(f)	1616 (\$360)		\$0	
1 Month Extension	37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)	1251 (\$120)		\$120	
			SUB TOTAL	\$250	
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 05/04/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 05/04/2006
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 05/04/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 05/04/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/04/2006
- Biochemical Sequence Diskette filed on 05/04/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 05/04/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 05/04/2006
- Specification filed on 05/04/2006
- Claims filed on 05/04/2006
- Abstracts filed on 05/04/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of \$100 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. ●自己 27 年 日本
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath

or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$230 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$ 100
 - \$100 for 2 total claims over 20.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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